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### *Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The specification, claims, or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or properly stored because:
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- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
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Enclosed are the following items for filing with the above-referenced pending U.S. Patent Application, in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers:

1. Petition for Extension of Time (1 Month) and check for \$55.00 (FEE CODE: 2251).
2. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.
3. Specification pages 36 - 39. These are to replace pages 36 - 37 filed on February 18, 2004)
4. Six Sheets of Replacement Drawing Pages (Figures 5 - 10)
5. Supplemental Data Sheet to correct errors in Data Sheet originally filed on February 18, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2816. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Having now complied with all requirements of 37 CFR §1.53,  
Applicant(s) respectfully request that this application be  
examined.

Respectfully submitted,



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